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THE WEEK IN EDMONTON

Strong rumors of a housing scheme for Edmonton planned by a United States concern continue to travel throughout the city. It is stated that there is some truth in them as indicated by the words of city commission or John Holgren at Monday's council meeting. "All the information that has reached me has been of a confidential nature," he told reporters. Newspaper advertisements some time ago invited selected men of character who wished to purchase homes on terms to write for a confidential interview. Later came the report that the homes are to be built on a property, previously owned by last year's mayor of the city.

Strains of exiles in Alberta before the war have been in the news. In council, it was announced this week by R. H. Ensmore, senior division poultry inspector for the province. The supervisor is looking after the collection of a large number of eggs for shipment to Britain before that date.

Edmonton needs 1,900 new homes now. According to R. H. Ensmore, state dealers, "scores of families in the city are living in dilapidated or emergency quarters which should not be tolerated in a progressive Canadian city."

New hours of work and wage regulations issued by the Board of Industrial Relations affect female labour in catering or eating house positions everywhere in the province. Places with less than 600 population are given special attention, and in larger centres every type of lunch, cafeteria, dining room and ice cream parlor is brought within the order's scope. Girls may no longer be kept at work after midnight and prior to 6:30 a.m. If they wear uniforms or distinctive dress, the employer must provide it, keep it laundered and in good repair. It is limited to 25 per cent of the staff in the apprentice class, and those apprentices must lead to full wages.

In addition, meals must be charged for at not more than a stipulated rate. Unemployed meals must not be charged for at all, and wage schedules are set at \$12.50 a week in the large centres, and \$10 a week in places less than 600 provided the labour is employed only at meal hours.

Apprentices must be paid \$9.00 a week rising monthly to \$10 and \$11 then to the \$12.50 minimum. For seven full days' lodging \$1.50 may be deducted. For 21 meals in seven days, plus lodging, \$8.00.

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GOLF CLUB HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Strathmore Golf Club was held in the town office on Thursday evening, May 1st. The following officers were elected for the coming season—

President — Ben Fossenden
Vice-President — C. P. Nicholl
Sec-Treas. — F. W. Holmes
Executive Committee — Don Wright, Neils White, Bill McNeill, and G. H. Patrick.
Grounds Committee — Wm. S. McNeill
Entertainment Committee — E. N. Ridley, G. H. Patrick, T. S. Hughes, L. R. Jones.

A cordial invitation is extended to all golfers and would-be golfers to join the club, the rates being as follows—

—Per Season
Residents of the Town — \$6.00
Out of Town Golfers — \$4.00
Students — \$2.00

Anyone who has been playing and does not intend to join the club this season is asked to please discontinue using the course.

Teacher—You all know what a mirror is for. Now, Jackie, where do you look if you want to know that you're clean?

Jackie—At the towel, miss.

WEDDING

DOUBLE WEDDING AT SACRED HEART CHURCH

Today at 9 a.m. a very pretty double wedding was performed by Rev. Father Rouleau, when the contracting parties were Gordon Wayne Nelson, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Nelson, wedded to Mary Katherine Keeler, third daughter of Mrs. W. H. Keeler and the late Mr. Keeler, and Joseph Keeler, eldest son of Mr. W. H. Keeler and the late Mr. Keeler wedded to Wanda Wegener, third daughter of Mr. Wegener and the Mrs. Wegener.

Proceeding up the aisle to the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March, played by Miss Gerry Van 't Hof, the youthful brides made a "winning picture, dressed alike in Air Force Blue suits, wearing open blue hats, with veils and gloves to match. Each bride wore a corsage of white carnations and ferns.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Nelson were attended by Mrs. and Mrs. Oscar Saven, while Mr. and Mrs. David Longbrum attended Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Keeler.

The wedding hymns were sung by Mrs. Van Tigchem, Misses Josee and Katherine Rellingher with Miss Gerry Van Tigchem presiding at the organ.

Following the ceremony, the Wedding Party motored to the Mandarin Gardens, Calgary where the wedding breakfast was served, and felicitations extended.

After a brief honeymoon spent in Calgary and Banff, the young couples will return to Strathmore where they will reside.

Gordon Nelson expects to leave shortly for the four months training course at Camrose.

The newly married couples are all well known members of Strathmore's younger set, who will unite in wishing each a very happy and successful future.

Ladies Golf Club

—1941—

The following slate of officers was elected at a meeting held Friday evening.

President — Mrs. T. S. Hughes
Vice-President — Mrs. H. A. Wilson
Sec-Treas. — Mrs. C. P. Nicholl
Social Committee — Madeline White, Fossenden and May.

Captain — Mrs. John Freeman
Vice-Captain — Miss Mildred Marcum

In View of Forth-Coming Dominion Census, The Following Article Is Especially Timely

THERE IS A CANADIAN

by THORNTON PROSSER
B.A., Ph.D.

We are credibly informed that after the word "Nationality" on a Canadian passport the Department of External Affairs refuses to permit the word "Canadian" to appear. It is possible to be of British nationality, a Scotswoman and Irishman, and Frenchman, or any other personage under the sun, save and except a Canadian. A most peculiar situation when it is a Canadian passport. Since this passport is issued by the Canadian Secretary for External Affairs, one wonders under what authority he issues such a passport. If there is no such thing as a Canadian, how can there be a Canadian Secretary for External Affairs? If there is not a Canadian Nation, a condition which the Secretary accepts when he refuses to recognize Canadian Nationality, how can there be a Canadian Government, a body from which he receives his authority?

The Department of External Affairs would, we believe, be the last to insist that there was no such thing as a Canadian Parliament. Why is there so much hesitancy in recognizing the fact that there is a Canadian nation? There can be only one bond that will weld together all the divergent peoples that inhabit the northern part of the North American continent and that is a feeling of unity and loyalty to the country in which they live: Canada. To a hymn, it is difficult to follow the reasoning that enables a member of the Canadian government to talk about the Canadian War Effort, the need for Canadian Unity, and then refuse to accept the fact that there is a Canadian people.

It has been truly said that a prophet is never well received in his country. The same thing is apparently true of a Canadian. The press despatches are full of the work of Canadians overseas, the Canadian soldiers on the land, the Canadian airmen in the air; but in Canada it is difficult to claim kinship with these men, to feel that what they are doing here is something of which we are proud.

When the census is taken for 1941 it is to be hoped that a greater effort will be taken to impress upon the people of Canada that they are Canadians first, and to be a Canadian is something of which a person should be proud.

When Lawson is to be congratulated on his success, an order which not many would care to attempt, Mr. Lawson is now stationed with the Law Department of the R. C. A. F. in Calgary.

Mrs. Lawson is at present the guest of her sister Mrs. Leslie Campbell.

There was a well attended meeting of the School Fair Association in the High School on Monday 5th May.

It was disclosed that both the Provincial Department of Agriculture and Education have discontinued their support of all School Fairs. In spite of this the Local Executive has decided to continue for at least one year. The further continuance of this project will be contingent on the amount of success achieved this year.

The date for the Fair has been set for 5th and 6th of September.

Seventy-five dollars will be added to the amount apportioned for Livestock Prizes.

With the School Fair, there will also be a Flower Show for adults. A strong committee has been selected for this part of the programme.

Mrs. S. Konek, Mr. Laycraft, Mr. H. Backs, Mr. Sarsosa, Mr. M. L. Hilton, and Mr. Hartell consented to act on the School Fair Executive.

Donations to the Prize List by any interested parties would be welcome.

MORE THAN DOUBLES QUOTA

Splendid Result For "6-in-1" Victory Loan 1941

CANADA NEEDS \$700,000,000

The committee of the Strathmore Canadian War Services Fund is pleased to acknowledge receipt of the sum of \$1,072.47, made up from donations received from Mrs. L. Dalry, Ardenode, Chedoke, Nightingale, Nakama, Carleton Place, Strathmore. This fine showing is \$472.47 above the objective, and is due entirely to the generosity of the public and the efforts put forth by the collectors—

Messrs. W. Gorman, A. C. Gillings, George MacLean, John Sharp, Fred Crasner, P. W. Slater, J. S. Gunn, E. H. Ridley, A. P. Gray, Hector McGee, T. S. Hughes, Dr. J. W. Giffen, T. Wright, George Palardy, M. A. Bellinger, John Sparrow, W. E. Springthorpe, Hughes Motors, Charles Kimmetts, Mrs. Charles Kimmetts, Mrs. J. Van Tigchem, Mrs. Mary Rellingher, and Mrs. John Freeman.

To those who gave, and the collector, the committee wishes to extend the sincerest thanks—C. P. Nicholl, Chairman; J. H. Haddock; T. S. Hughes; T. E. Wright.

A Dominion wide campaign will be carried on June 2nd - 23rd.

Alberta's quota in this fund is about \$14,000,000.

An organization meeting was held in Strathmore Wednesday evening, when representatives from Calgary, Saskatoon, Regina, and other cities were present to discuss plans for the fund.

Following officers were appointed for Strathmore—

Chairman — Rev. Father Killen
Vice-Chairman — T. Benoit, E. C. Griffiths and Mrs. R. L. Stone.
The War is increasingly serious. It takes money to build ships, but we must win and save freedom for the world.

The Back Room in M. D. Bow Val

A COURAGEOUS ACHIEVEMENT

Mrs. Garnet Lawson (nee Nora Chamberlain) motored to Ontario, and back driving the entire distance herself while encountering some portable roads in Northern Ontario, she came through without accident.

Mrs. Lawson left Calgary last October to join her husband who was stationed with the R. C. A. F. in St. Thomas. Going East she went through the United States, but returning she shipped her car to St. William and motored from there to Calgary alone.

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Woman's Changed World

The above will be the subject of a talk over CRO T.V. on May 13th at 8 p.m. MRS. Mary Ferguson, wife of G. V. Ferguson, managing editor of the Winnipeg Free Press.

Mrs. Ferguson is a talented public speaker.

Texas is more than five times as large as England proper.

TOWN COUNCIL

Council held rather a lengthy discussion on Tuesday night at their first meeting for three weeks, hence quite a long agenda had piled up. This will improve many blocks where there are a number of trees, "dead, but they won't lie down."

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CANADIAN TARS GREETED BY STARLETS ON CALIFORNIA VISIT

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The desire to take medicine is perhaps the greatest feature which distinguishes man from animals.
—(Sir William Osler)

Do you wish to find out a man's weak points? Note the fallings he has the quickest eye for in others.

Ellei Barrymore was inviting a friend to her birthday party.
"There'll be a birthday cake, I suppose," someone asked.
"Yes, there'll be a birthday cake, never fear," Miss Barrymore replied.
"And candles, of course."
"My friend," said Miss Barrymore, "it's to be a birthday party, not a torchlight procession."

The world-famous Dutch tulip bulb are the latest Nazi victims. The German conquerors of Holland are rearing huge quantities of them, mixing them with ground acorns and distributing them throughout Holland at coffee.

We must be willing to pay a price for freedom; for no price that is ever asked for it is half the cost of doing without it. —(H. L. Mencken).

Stained Glass Windows

Fifth of a Series for Church, in Fifth Avenue Cross the Atlantic.

While German bombs are shattering the priceless stained glass of England's churches, British craftsmen in that country are patiently creating examples of their art. These are not for their own churches, which must wait until after the war, but for churches overseas, where they will earn valuable exchange, to turn into weapons for use against the destroyers of Britain's own places of worship.

Now on the way to New York is the fifth of a series of five windows, each 40 feet by 12 feet, for the Church of the Heavenly Rest, Fifth Avenue. Mr. James Hogan, its designer, famed for his work on Liverpool Cathedral, has used a multitude of small fragments which give an effect of rich and darkly glowing jewels.

In designing windows for churches overseas British stained glass experts have to visit the spot and study the strength of light, which is much greater in the United States, South Africa, Australia, and, to some extent, New Zealand. This calls for the use of deeper colours and richer treatment than is required in Britain.

Since the outbreak of war, Mr. Hogan has designed eleven windows for the fashionable New York Church of St. Thomas, as well as windows for the churches of St. Thomas's Menasha (Wis.) Bethlehem-by-the-Sea, Palm Beach, Florida, and St. Albans, Washington (D. C.). Others have gone to St. Paul's Church, Huntley, in New Zealand, St. Boniface's, Glenora, South Africa, and Perth Cathedral, Australia.

The total value of the work executed in the first year of war was about 15,000 pounds, the price of three Spitfires.

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THE EDMONTON LETTER

BY T. B. WINDROSS

Edmonton, Alta.—The Canadian wheat board believes that on until the end of this crop year—that is, July 31—it will be able to accept all the wheat that western farmers can deliver.

That announcement was made in Ottawa the other day by the Hon. James A. Mackintosh—Alberta's member of the federal cabinet, and minister of trade and commerce.

He made the statement after his recent visit to Edmonton, and his conference with officials of the wheat board at Winnipeg.

The officials are taking delivery of all wheat that is offered so far, at storage space permits—and are paying the storage rate of two thirds of a cent per bushel each month, for wheat which is kept on the farms.

At the end of this crop year—or from August 1 on—a limitation of 230,000,000 bushels is being placed on the deliveries to be accepted during the crop year of 1941-42. And bonuses will be paid by the Dominion government, for acreage removed from wheat production to commercialize grass and cover crops. The plan is costing the Dominion at least \$35,000,000 which will be paid in subsidies to western farmers.

In the house of commons last week, the federal government won approval of its wheat policy.

A motion by the C. C. F. party opposed that policy of the government. The Social Crediters in the house voted with the C. C. F., in the attempt to prevent the plan of subsidies. But the attempt to block the plan was defeated by a heavy majority. And so was a want-of-confidence motion, engineered by the Conservatives and supported by the Social Crediters.

With sending under way in all of the prairie provinces, it's reported that Alberta's wheat acreage is being reduced by about 10 per cent from last year. The new crop year, with its harvest only a few months away, will start with a wheat carryover estimated at 54,500,000 bushels.

That's the figure after allowing for exports of 180,000,000 bushels, and Canadian domestic requirements of 127,000,000 bushels. And none of Canada's other markets of former years is likely to be able to take much from it now—until after the war is won. In the meantime, wheat production is a burden rather than an asset. However, observers point out that this year, the wheat may be valuable again. And they add that if Britain—and Canada—do not win this war, Hitler will be controlling wheat production in Canada in future years. But he won't be paying for it; we'll all be working for him and for the Nazi party, as actual slaves. His minister of agriculture, Darre, has said that.

And it's to prevent that that Canada is pouring her resources into the investment in victory.

Last week in Ottawa, Canadian citizens were presented with the first two billion dollar budget they've ever been called upon to meet. It's an enormous increase over any previous

YOUNG PEOPLE'S FARM WEEK

JUNE 4-11 AT U. OF A.

This week is open to all rural boys and girls between the ages of 16 and 27 and is under the sponsorship of the Department of Extension, Department of Agriculture and the United Farmers of Alberta. This year will mark the Twenty-Third Anniversary of the Week. Boys and girls from all over the province to the number of around 200 each year attend.

They live in residence and are given lectures by members of the staffs of the University and Extension Department, in such subjects as literature, household economics, animal husbandry, horticulture, animal diseases, poultry problems, photography, etc.

Competitions with cash prizes are sponsored by some of the leading farm organizations in livestock and grain judging, household economics, public speaking, handicrafts and farm cost accounting. The Department of Agriculture gives two \$75.00 scholarships to one of the schools of agriculture to the boy and girl winning the highest marks on an examination of the work taken during Farm Young People's Week.

Visits are made to packing plants, Parliament Buildings, etc. A theatre party is held and film impromptu programs given by the delegates.

Another important event of this Week is the annual Feeders' Day which is held at the University Farm. This is a wonderful opportunity for farm boys and girls to meet together.

HERE AND THERE

Canadians have not taken kindly to the escape of German prisoners. Such a mass escape can only be accounted for by the lack of discipline and supervision. It is well that the Department took steps to remove from responsible position those officers under whom the escape was made. Strong and well organized German activity so doubt abetted the escape, working from the United States.

After it was too late to do anything about it, the Men's Club Carnival Committee discovered that many of the carnival prizes were of Japanese origin, or of an origin unfriendly to the Allies. We Britains must exercise great care to see that goods from such countries are not bought over our counters. —Clareholm Local Press.

budget—and in straight taxation, it means an increase of \$25 in the federal tax-bill of the average man, woman and child in the Dominion. The whole budget means an expense of \$165 by the average Canadian, for the next year.

However, the average Albertan will not have to meet that amount—because in the first place, people in the east—drawing steady incomes—will carry a great share of the burden. And in the second place, through sensible financing only a part of the vast expense must be met by immediate taxation. Toward the rest, all of us citizens are being asked to lend money to the government, if we can.

Spittires Roll off English Assembly Lines



At the TOP, in one of the many British ministry of aircraft production factories where Spitfires are now being turned out by thousands. Many Spitfires are shown under construction. The Spitfire is one of England's first line fighter aircraft. Nazi airmen have a wholesome respect for them. At the BOTTOM, a line of new Spitfires is shown on the tarmac ready for testing.

USED CARS

● 1939 LINCOLN ZEPHYR SEDAN

● 1937 FORD COACH

● 1935 FORD COACH

● 1929 CHEVROLET COACH

● 1928 FORD COACH

USED TRACTORS

● 10-20 McCORMICK-DEER-ING TRACTOR—

● 15-27 JOHN DEERE TRACTOR—

● 30 McCORMICK-DEERING TRACTOR (Late Model)

● 22-36 McCORMICK-DEERING TRACTOR—

● 15-30 McCORMICK DEER-ING TRACTOR—

● 12-20 CASE TRACTOR

● 17-27 TWIN CITY TRACTOR

● 1938 MINNEAPOLIS TRACTOR (ON RUBBER)



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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

"Adam and Fallen Man" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon at all Christian Science Churches on Sunday. The Golden Text is Romans 5:17. One of the Scriptural citations is "Watch ye and pray, lest ye enter into temptation. The spirit truly is

ready, but the flesh is weak" (Mark 14:38). One of the correlative passages from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, is "We should blush to call that real which is only a mistake. The foundation of evil is laid on a belief in something besides God." (p. 22).



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This is a fight to the finish. No room for half measures. No room for delay. This is urgent... vital... pressing. This is WAR.

More men, well equipped, well clothed, well fed, mean more dollars.

Canada looks to you to supply those dollars... and to keep on supplying them till this war is won.

Start saving NOW. Buy war savings certificates regularly. Build up your savings account. Be ready to enlist your dollars in this fight for human freedom and decency.

Be glad you can help so simply and so effectively.

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Under The Street Lamp

by P. E. (Pat) O'Hooley



Betty: "Bobby, do you love me?"
Sharp: "I'll say."
Betty: "D'you think I'm beautiful?"
Sharp: "You bet."
"Are my eyes like stars?"
"Yes."

"And my figure the loveliest you've ever seen?"

"Uh-huh."

"Oh, Bobby, you do say the nicest things. Tell me some more."

Bombardier Shrimpton: "When I was little boy, I had some wooden soldiers which I lost. My mother said: 'Oh, never mind, you'll find them some day.' And believe me, you lost-pled unthoughted-gone, that day has come."

And it would seem fitting for the late "Queen of the May" to retain her title as also Queen of the Winter Carnival.

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John Masfield, British Poet, Laureate, delicately following verse to American Ambassador, John G. Winant.

Two with like laws and language should be friends;
Whatever enmities have marred a past,
A future with good-will may make amends

And build a new world happier than the last.
Your coming and your friendship are a cheer.
If yours and ours will but understand,
Earth's future children will not live in fear,
Nor dread of spirit die by deed of hand.

HOLY CROSS HOSPITAL IN CALGARY, ESTABLISHED FIFTY YEARS AGO

FIFTY years ago a group of Grey Nuns arrived in Calgary and founded the Holy Cross Hospital. Fifty years has wrought many and varied improvements in Calgary. Perhaps its earliest settlers did not envision the growth and development achieved today, and as yet it is only in the infancy of its expansion.

Reverting to the Hospital, and all hospitals, what numerous pains have been assigned, what illnesses cured, and what hopes restored when the sick one was again revived to the family and home, able to fit in to his or her accustomed place once more.

Of all human institutions, a hospital outlives more than any other. Joy or grief, hope or sorrow in their extremest degree.

Wonderful advance has been made in the medical world and operations

are successfully performed now that our grandparents knew not, and so it will continue. Doctors are constantly engaged in research to alleviate and overcome diseases that have as yet baffled them.

Also the skill, progressive research and faithful devotion of Doctors and nurses we pay worthy tribute.

FROM "THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN" — "AMERICA MUST STAND FIRMLY FOR THE FREE WAY OF LIFE"

BETWEEN Hitlerism and Freedom no one believing in the sanctity of life can be neutral. If we tried to stand aloof we could not. One nation after another has attempted to do so, only to be invaded and enslaved. The same rapacious aggression of Genghis Khan and Tamerlane characterizes the Nazi-Fascist dictators. Their boasted aim is world conquest.

The danger of losing our national life is greater if, through our self-concern, the Axis powers are permitted to win. Let us not deceive ourselves as to what such an outcome would mean. With the downfall of Great Britain, three quarters of the earth would soon come under totalitarian sway. Three of the four great bastions which control the movement of world trade would be in hostile hands. Through commercial penetration our South American neighbors would be drawn into the Axis system. They are raw-material reducing countries and a barter exchange for Nazi manufactured goods would be an inevitable development. With our high living standards we could not meet the competition of slave labor.

"A tightening rig would be forged around us. We should be compelled to devote incalculable sums to maintaining a huge standing army and a navy and an air force capable of meeting a three-direction attack. With world trade cut off and subjected to such a constant drain for nonconstructive purposes, our economic system quite probably would collapse. The ensuing unemployment, farm surpluses and distress would present a fertile field for totalitarian propaganda and under-throw agents. It was the field they tilted so effectively in Europe.

A safety first attitude will not protect us. Instead it is the way of greatest danger to our form of free government. Both our material and spiritual interests are in accord with the decision that has been made. It has our full support.

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THE PRESS AND THE ADVERTISER

THE relationship between the newspaper and its advertisers is as important to the newspaper reader as it is to the publisher. Newspapers are sometimes unfairly accused of being subservient to the advertisers who provide the revenue upon which the newspaper exists. This erroneous impression has been gathered because the average person knows that the newspaper must have advertising to exist, and therefore if he happens to be of a suspicious turn of mind, he concludes that the advertiser must set the policy of the newspaper.

Not only is such a suggestion untrue but it is unfair both to the newspaper and to the advertiser. Practically every publisher will tell you that few merchants ever attempt to dictate the policy of the newspaper. They must express opposition to some stand the newspaper has taken, but few would go so far as to threaten the newspaper with withdrawal of business, if the policy was not changed to conform with the wishes of the advertiser. The successful merchant is usually successful because he is an honorable man, and few would stoop to the level of threatening a newspaper because its publisher had different ideas on a given question than the advertiser.

The relationship between the advertiser and the newspaper is similar to that which exists between a merchant and his customer, only in this the publisher is the merchant and the advertiser the customer. The advertiser purchases space in the newspaper because he has a story to tell the readers of the paper. He uses advertising as a legitimate means of drawing customers to his store. If the newspaper

DR GERSHAW WRITES FROM OTTAWA

In Parliament the big events of the week have been the Budget and the Budget regulations. The new taxes in the Budget is an expression of the desire of Canada to throw all in the struggle against the aggressor nation.

The Minister of Finance has a difficult role and three of his four immediate predecessors have broken down in health, in early life, under the stress and strain of the heavy responsibilities of this portfolio.

In the Budget direct taxes like Income Tax, Corporation Tax and Inheritance taxes are greatly increased or applied for the first time as these are levies that most nearly approximate ability to pay.

Income Taxes are greatly increased. A married man with an income of \$2,000, now pays 17%, including the National defence tax. At the new rate he will pay \$175.00. A single man with the same income will pay \$340.00. A married man earning \$4,000, under the new rates will pay \$675.00. If he has two children, his tax will be \$450.00. On the \$10,000 per year man, the tax goes up from \$2,070 to \$3,080. The rich bachelor with \$30,000 income and \$47,000 in investments will pay under the new rate will pay \$11,720 for income tax alone and if he gets an extra dollar he will pay 96¢ of it to the Government.

A graduated inheritance tax is being applied. A widow does not pay anything on the first \$20,000. If a man or woman, one-half to a widow, one-quarter to a young daughter and one-quarter to a grown up son, the tax would be as follows:—
The widow receiving \$25,000 pays only on the \$5,000 a tax of \$200. The young daughter will pay \$281 and the grown up son will pay about \$500.

If an estate of \$100,000 was all left to a grown up son he would pay about \$8,500. The provincial taxes must be also paid in all these cases.

The portion of the National income going to the farmer is always low but is now abnormally low on account of loss of markets due to the war. To increase this income a system of bonuses for reducing the Wheat acreage has been decided upon. The Wheat acreage of 1940 will be served at in different ways. When it is determined the number of acres in Wheat in 1941 is subtracted and if this reduced Wheat acreage is unimpaired, a bonus of \$4 per acre will be paid and if put into coarse grains, a bonus of \$2 per acre will be paid. The Municipal secretaries and Provincial officials are the difficult task of interpreting the rather complicated regulations.

Mr Churchill concluded his Speech with reciting two stanzas of 'Clough's poem as follows:
"For while the tired waves, vainly breaking
Seem here no painful inch to gain,
Far back through creeks and inlets making
Comes silent flooding in the main.

And not by eastern windows only,
When daylight comes, comes in the light;
In front the sun climbs slow, how slowly,
But westward, look, the land is bright.

continues to provide the service required and adequate returns for the investment, the merchant continues to advertise. When he feels he is not getting that value he ceases to advertise. That too is the relationship which exists between any other merchant and his customer. So long as the customer feels he is getting good value and service from the store, he continues to be a customer. When value and service cease he takes his trade elsewhere.

That, very simply, is the relationship between the publisher and the advertiser. Any suggestion that the policy of the newspaper is dictated by the advertiser is a slander on both newspaper and merchant. Best proof that the advertiser does not dictate policy is the fact that it would be almost impossible to find a group of merchants in any community whose ideas could be so identical that they could formulate the policy of any newspaper. —C.W.N.A.

BRITAIN ASKS FOR \$400,000 DOZ. EGGS FOR DELIVERY IN MAY

An order for 5,400,000 dozen Canadian eggs for shipment to the British Ministry of Food in the month of May at an approximate price of 23 to 24 cents per dozen, according to the delivered on board ship at Montreal packed ready for export has been announced by the Special Products

WE ARE ON THE WAGON MARKED VICTORY

SUNSHINE BREAKFAST FOODS

CORN STARCH — 3 for 25c
SHREDDED WHEAT — 3 for 35c
QUAKER CORN FLAKES — 3 for 25c
PUFFED WHEAT — Bushel Bags 29c
Last Call — BULK TEA — per lb. 55c

CANDY SPECIAL ●●●
MacINTOSH WRAPPED TOFFEE, per lb. 24c
FRESH MARSHMALLOWS — 1 lb Packet 25c

EXTRA SPECIAL —
CHOCOLATE BARS — all makes, 6 for 25c

We Sell — GOLDEN WEST, McGAVIN'S, 4-X, and BRYCE BREAD.

SEEDS — SEEDS —
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SWEETPEAS SEEDS — ETC.
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RED CROSS FOOD PARCELS RECEIVED IN GERMANY

The first letter from a British prisoner of war in Germany giving proof that food parcels sent from Canada were being received and enjoyed in a German prison camp, was read to the Central Council of the Canadian Red Cross.

Guardmaster Arthur Hook, wrote prisoner at Dunkirk, wrote his sister, Miss Wynne Hook, 2146 Grand Boulevard, Montreal: "We have just received an issue of Red Cross parcels (My third since I've been prisoner). Some chaps were extremely fortunate and got the Canadian type. What a lovely parcel,— a pound tin of butter (real butter) — honey and a host of

other good things. Now I want you to see about getting me a parcel like that with one addition,— a couple of tins of peanut butter. I dream of the stuff." The Canadian Red Cross is packing 10,000 food parcels a week for British prisoners of war in Germany at the request of the British Red Cross.

Fire of undetermined origin swept through Robert X. S. Military Camp, Friday, causing damage estimated at between \$15,000 and \$20,000. Clothes and personal belongings of the soldiers were lost with the buildings.

HAVE YOU BOUGHT YOUR WAR
SAVINGS CERTIFICATE?

HONEYMOONING IN SUN VALLEY



Honeymooning at Sun Valley, Idaho, are the former Annie Laurie Dodge and her husband, Dr. William L. Dodge. Dr. Dodge's wife, who was married on Jan. 30, Mrs. Dodge is the widow of Daniel Dodge, auto fortune teller, who lost his life in an accident at his summer camp in Ontario shortly after his marriage to the former Glee Day telephone operator.

Board. The quantity of eggs involved in and will tax the full capacity of existing poultry flocks.



SCIENCE and technological progress have wrought wonders in the realms of transportation, communication and industrial engineering. The ease and speed of travel by car, and now aeroplane, the practical elimination of space by telephone and radio and the convenience and comfort of electric lights and electrical household appliances are worth-while achievements towards the more abundant life.

In keeping with this progress is the contribution of the implement manufacturer toward lightening the labor and increasing the efficiency of the farmer. Farming has also been transformed.

All too little recognition in this respect has been taken of the tremendous advances in farm tractors. In design—more practical and attractive—with the ease of starting and operating of an automobile, operating at low cost, making possible outstanding reductions in the cost of certain farm operations, and with greater power, at prices which put them within the reach of even the smaller farmer.

This more tractable and flexible source of power revolutionizes farming practice, eliminates the back-breaking work of days gone by, and makes it possible, in many instances, to operate gainfully even under existing difficult conditions.

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NOTICES, etc., per line 90c

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ON APPLICATION

FOR SALE—SPRING RYE, APPLY
H. Backs, Strathmore. May 15

FOR SALE—12 FOOT McCormick
Deering Cultivator, 10 Foot Massey
Harris Cultivator, with Power Lift
and Forecutter, Hughes Motors.

FOR SALE—FALL RYE—APPLY
W. Parkes, Nampa, Phone 1216,
Strathmore, Alta. info

LOST—ONE RAWHIDE HALTER
with snap, between Voldman's cor-
ner and Walter King's, Thursday
morning. Finder please return to
Phillips Motors or J. Hine. M5

FOR SALE—VICTORY OATS—
grown from registered seed, Ger-
mination 99 at 22 days. Certificate
No. 2887, Price 35c per bushel,
cleaned, Alex Warrack, Strathmore,
Alta. May 15

FOR SALE—GOOD MILK COW TO
freshen soon, or trade for feed oats,
J. Schumann, Strathmore. M5

FOR SALE—RED WING FLAX,
Fall Rye, O. A. C. 21 Barley, Apply
L. A. Phillips, Strathmore.

FOR SALE—OUTSTANDING MILK-
er, Young Guernsey Cow and 3
weeks old Heifer calf. May be mil-
ked any week day at 6 p.m. John
C. Buckley, Gleichen. May 22

FOR SALE—100 SACKS OF EARLY
Ohio Potatoes, (grown from regis-
tered seed), 7c per hundred, Phone
1208, Strathmore. M 22

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Brings Factory Methods Within Easy Reach Of
All. Positively Does Not Soften, Warp or Strain Tiller Discs.

We have special machine tools for the Resizing of axles on all tillage equip-
ment. Let us quote you our price. We guarantee to SAVE you money.
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HIRTLE'S THEATRE

—FRIDAY & SATURDAY—
MAY 16th and 17th

LADDIE
From the Book by
Gene Stratton Porter

—FRIDAY & SATURDAY—
MAY 16th and 17th

DOUBLE FEATURE—
Hop-A-Long Cassidy — in
THREE MEN FROM TEXAS
and DICK POWELL — in
CHRISTMAS IN JULY

NEWS & COMEDY

DR. N. B. MOSS

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Rev. S. L. Hunt, B.A., B.D.

"Mother's Day" Sunday, May 11th
"Her children rise up and call her
blessed;
Her husband praiseth her — 'thou
exceedest them all'."

Proverbs 31:28,25.
Your tribute to mother may be well
expressed in attending the following
services.

11 a.m.—Parents' Day in the Church
School. The morning congregation
will meet with the School in open
session.

7.30 p.m. Appropriate music and
message.

Anniversary Day, May 14th—
Dr. Warrick, P. Kellogg will preach
morning and evening.

ST. MICHAEL'S & ALL ANGELS'
CHURCH - STRATHMORE
(Incorporated)
Rev. Leslie T. H. Pearson, B.A., L.Th.

Easter IV — Sunday, May 11
Strathmore.

11 a.m. — Holy Communion.
2 p.m. — Sunday School.

Wednesday—
7 p.m. — Junior Choir Practice.
7.30 p.m. — Senior Choir Practice.
8 p.m. — War Intercession.
9.30 a.m. — Thurs. Holy Communion
service.

SACRED HEART CHURCH
STRATHMORE
—10:15—
Mass every Sunday 10.30 a.m. ex-
cepting first Sunday of the month
when Mass will be at 10 a.m.

CABELLAND—
First Sunday of the Month. Mass
at 11 a.m.
REV. A. E. ROULEAU, P. P.

CABELLAND UNITED CHURCH
Rev. R. Chene, Minister
—10:15—
First Sunday of each month Service
is held at 8 p.m. All other Sundays it
is held at 12 noon.

Local News Items

Allan Clift of Winnipeg who is now
with the R. C. A. P. in Calgary spent
Sunday with his cousin Mr. and Mrs.
D. A. Perry.

Bill Weyers has been transferred
from St. Thomas to the R. C. A. P. in
Calgary. He spent the week end in
Strathmore. Bill is looking in the best
of health.

Miss Dora English of Winnipeg re-
turned to Calgary Monday after a
holiday of three weeks. She was the
guest of Mrs. Van Tighem and Gerry
over the week end.

Mildred Marcum motored to Leth-
bridge over the week end, bringing
back with her, her sister Mrs. Leth-
bridge and baby who will remain with
Mrs. Marcum in Strathmore, while L.
Lethbridge is stationed at the coast.

The Junior Choir of the United
Church with their leader Miss Gwend-
olyn Hunt went for a hike one mile
west of town on Saturday afternoon,
after practice. Mr. and Mrs. Hunt
joined them later for a jolly lunch.

Miss M. Gordon, President at the
Theory Examination for Miss Gerry
Van Tighem's pupils in the school
Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred MacKay were
visitors in Strathmore over the week
end.

Ms. Wertenberger left Monday for
Enteville, Alta. where she will remain
for several weeks.

Miss Jean McGregor spent the
week end with Miss Lydia McLean at
Cheadle.

Mr. Barnett has returned for a
visit at the home of her daughter,
Mrs. A. D. Shrimpton.

Word was received in Calgary
that Douglas and Jack Hall,
brothers of Mrs. Cecil Lambert were
leaving shortly for Overseas. Mr. W.
E. Hall the boys' father left Calgary
Saturday for the east to see his sons
as they sailed. Jack is a Lieut. in
the Navy and Douglas is in the R. C.
A. P.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunt and Gwendolyn
joined Harold at his room in Calgary
on Monday evening to celebrate
Gwendolyn's birthday and also Mr.
Hunt's natal day of two days pre-
vious.

Ms. Andy Fraser was in town early
in the week, returning to Calgary
Tuesday.

VANCOUVER, B.C.

Today's traveller to Vancouver finds
Hotel Grosvenor fits his or her needs
best of all. Distinctly quiet and with-
out a bar, you are assured a good
night's rest. As you awake refreshed,
you find the shopping, business, finan-
cial and theatre districts right at the
door. The rates are low — commencing
at \$1.50 and \$2.50 — and the hotel
and dining room service is excel-
lent.

Hotel Grosvenor
1000 B. C. STREET
VANCOUVER, B. C.

Mr. J. Saphor had the misfortune
to break his arm while cranking his
engine and is in hospital at the pre-
sent time.

Eric Risseaux is laid up with the
Rheumatic Fever and will have to
be in bed for at least two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pow and Mrs.
Garnet Lawlor who have been visit-
ing their sister Mrs. Campbell left
for their homes in Edmonton and Calgary
Tuesday.

Mr. W. A. Layercraft visited his neph-
ew at Blackie last Tuesday.

Some people sit around all day won-
dering why they don't get a raise
when that is the reason.

Andrew Garrett was in town for a
few hours Tuesday on route to Ton-
into, from Edmonton.

Heavy invitation to Mother's Day
Services on Sunday. The United
Church School and congregation meet
at 11 a.m. Evening Service at 7.30.
Kamaka and Chedale services are men-
tioned with these in Strathmore.

Rev. H. D. Marr was the guest of
Rev. and Mrs. Hunt Sunday.

Miss Betty Colwell who is a nurse
in training at the Galt Hospital, Leth-
bridge is enjoying a vacation of three
weeks at her home.

On Monday evening Mr. D. A. Perry
took the Junior Choir to Calgary,
where they were joined by Mr. and
Mrs. Hunt and Gwendolyn who en-
joyed with them at the Western Canada
Auditorium, the Demonstration of
School Music, from the work of Maj-
or Hinton, instructor of music, with
the assistance of city teachers. Beau-
tiful interpretations of song were ob-
tained by the conductors, the closing
number, a massed choir of over 200
voices, proving an inspirational clin-
max.

Graham Tench is home from Nana-
mo, B. C. for a few days leave.

Mrs. Rawthorne, Sr. who has been
the guest of her son Constant and
Mrs. Rawthorne for several weeks,
left Friday last for her home in Re-
gina. She may return to Strathmore
during the summer.

Don Nichol is spending his vaca-
tion of two weeks at his home in
Strathmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baker and chil-
dren from Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs.
Jim Bremner and Mr. and Mrs. Rae
Baker of Calgary, were week end vis-
itors of Earle and Mrs. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiggins and baby
daughter, Patricia, were Sunday
guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Johnson.

Jackie Pawken returned home from
Calgary for the week end.

The Nampak Tennis season officially
opened with a tournament on
Sunday last, with leading players
from Edmonton, Calgary and Pacific
taking part. Harry Baker of Edmon-
ton and Mavis Mackie of Nampak
carried off the mixed doubles honors
for the day.

There will be no service in Nampak
next Sunday, the congregation going
to Strathmore to join in the Mother's
Day Service.

(Omitted from last week's Standard)
A farrowed party was held recently
at the home of Mrs. H. E. Johnson in
remembrance of Mrs. H. Brown and daughter
Merril, who have been long time re-
sidents of Nampak. They are at pre-
sent visiting Mrs. Fred Watt at Cham-
plain, and will later leave for the
United States, where they will reside
in future.

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(Omitted from last week's Standard)
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remembrance of Mrs. H. Brown and daughter
Merril, who have been long time re-
sidents of Nampak. They are at pre-
sent visiting Mrs. Fred Watt at Cham-
plain, and will later leave for the
United States, where they will reside
in future.

HERVEY
To break his jaw the misfortune
to break his arm while cranking his
engine and is in hospital at the pre-
sent time.

Eric Risseaux is laid up with the
Rheumatic Fever and will have to
be in bed for at least two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pow and Mrs.
Garnet Lawlor who have been visit-
ing their sister Mrs. Campbell left
for their homes in Edmonton and Calgary
Tuesday.

Mr. W. A. Layercraft visited his neph-
ew at Blackie last Tuesday.

Some people sit around all day won-
dering why they don't get a raise
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CIGARETTE TOBACCO

TOWN COUNCIL

(Continued from Page One)

A misunderstanding having arisen
regarding the Public By-law recom-
mended by the Town, it was decided
that the entire proceeds of the Auc-
tion Sale should be devoted to over-
hauling the cars for the boys over-
seas from Strathmore and surround-
ing district.

Asst. Postmaster Ralph Martin ad-
dressed the club on the Postal Sys-
tem, outlining its growth from the old
system where a letter cost not less
than \$2.50 and took seven weeks at
the earliest to deliver, to today's fast,
economical and accurate system. An
interesting sidelight developed when
he mentioned that Canada's first
Postmaster General was Ben Franklin.

Deiving into some of the Post Of-
fice complications, the A. P. M., ex-
plained some of the pitfalls to avoid
in cashing Money Orders and Postal
Notes, and some of the limitations of
the Registered Letter, and the Ack-
nowledged Receipted letter.

With a good deal of extra work in
band at this time, it was deemed nec-
essary as in other years, to hire an
extra man, until the work is again in
order, the concrete sidewalk signs of
the bank having shown signs of being
in danger due to the erosion of the
banks. The Councilmen are all in agree-
ment concerning the necessary steps to
take. The well behind Chiche's hav-
ing been getting into poor shape, it
was arranged to cap it. This has not
been used for some time, but is still
in usable shape. If the pump, which
was knocked out part way down the
well by a truck, were replaced.

Accounts amounting to forty dollars
were received and passed.

"GUEST OF CANADA"
Ottawa—"Let Canadians do every-
thing possible to make 'Guest of Can-
ada' mean something more than a slogan
and a 'voluntary sticker' said L.
Leo Doolan, Chief of the Canadian
Travel Bureau, at Ottawa recently.
Despite anti-Canadian propaganda,
which tries the gamut from fear rais-
ing to gasoline at 90 cents the gal-
lon, it is expected that millions of
Americans will come to Canada this
year. They will come not only to en-
joy our scenery, sport and recreation
facilities, but because they know
that by visiting us they are assisting
in the promotion of our war effort
which is the spirit of goodwill and
friendship between the two countries."

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